

CAPITAL PRIZE.

THE H. P. NELSON PLAYER PIANO, 7½ Octaves; three strings throughout; copper bass strings; milled pressed bar; repeating action with continuous brass flange rail and capstan screw in key; full iron plate; handsomely bronzed throughout; cross banded Maple tuning pin block; felt hammers; three pedals; improved muffler attachment; polished ebony sharps; Boston fall board; tuning pins set in Maple bushing; continuous hinges for fall board and top; Norris patent noiseless pedal action; double veneered throughout; guaranteed for ten years.

The Manufacturer Forty years of unparalleled success is the record and they point with pride to the triumph of their ceaseless endeavors, after forty years of labor, the H. P. NELSON PLAYER PIANO. The wonderful sweet, rich and full tone; the perfectly adjustable scale; the flexible, sympathetic action; the grace of outline and beauty of finish which are characteristic attributes of THIS INSTRUMENT, are the logical results of material of the finest quality procurable, infinite care and skill in fashioning and assembling augmented by the creative ability and that "know how" which comes only through close application and years of practical experience.

Rules and Regulations:

Rule 1. All money obtained by the Contestants shall be turned over to the Contest Manager.

Rule 2. Contest Manager's signature must be affixed to all votes before they are of any value in the Contest.

Rule 3. Votes cannot be bought or exchanged; the Contest will be run on a fair, square basis, fair to all. Votes can only be obtained by securing subscriptions, getting renewals, obtaining advertising, job work, or by cutting the nomination or free vote certificate out of each issue. Each Contestant allowed one nomination coupon, giving her 5,000 votes.

Rule 4. All votes must be in the ballot box Wednesday of each week by noon.

Rule 5. No votes will be allowed on subscriptions held out more than one week after being secured by Contestants. Subscriptions must be turned in promptly, together with the money collected for them. Votes will be issued when the money is received, but the Contestants may retain these votes and cast them whenever they wish.

Rule 6. Nominators and Contestants in The Herald and News' Contest must agree to and accept all rules and conditions.

Rule 7. The right is reserved to reject any name of Contestant for a cause; also to alter these rules should occasion demand.

Rule 8. Any question that may arise between the Contestants will be determined by the Contest Manager, and her decision will be final.

Rule 9. No employee of The Herald and News or immediate relative of theirs will be allowed to enter this contest as a nominee or voter.

Conditions:

This Contest is free for every white lady, single or married, to enter. Any lady residing anywhere within The Herald and News' Territory, and who is of good standing, is eligible to compete in this Contest. The Lady does not have to be a Subscriber to The Herald and News in order to enter.

To become a Contestant, or, to nominate some Lady as a Candidate just cut out "The Nomination Coupon", fill in the name of the Lady whom you wish to enter as a Contestant, with the address written plainly; or, if you do not have a "Nomination Coupon", send in THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE LADY YOU WISH TO ENTER. The name of the Nominator will not be divulged.

The Herald and News' Great Prize Voting Contest

First Prize \$800.00 H. P. Nelson Player Piano.
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Schedule of Votes.

One Year	1,500 Votes.	Four Years.....	6,000 Votes.
Two Years.....	3,500 Votes.	Five Years.....	6,500 Votes.
Three Years.....	5,000 Votes.	Ten Years.....	25,000 Votes.

For full information regarding this Big Contest, write or call on "Contest Manager," The Herald and News.

How Votes May be Secured.

With every subscription to The Herald and News, paid in advance or renewal, a coupon good for a certain number of votes will be given. The number of votes is according to "SCHEDULE OF VOTES" on this page.

The coupons may be clipped from the paper, and, if sent in to The Herald and News before the date of same expires, they are good for their face value. Votes may be secured on Subscriptions, Advertising and Job work, in addition to THE WEEKLY VOTE COUPON appearing in this paper.

Who May Vote.

Parties living in one district are not confined to voting for Candidates in any particular district but may vote for any Candidate in any district in the territory of the Contest. Anyone desiring to vote may do so, using for the purpose of voting, the Coupon published in The Herald and News or the ballots secured on Subscriptions, Advertising or Job work. ENTER YOUR NAME OR THAT OF YOUR FRIEND IN THE RACE AT ONCE AND GET YOUR FRIENDS TO VOTING.

ELECT DELEGATES

TO UNITED SYNOD

LUTHERAN BODY DISPATCHES MUCH BUSINESS.

Plan to Increase Newberry College Endowment by \$150,000 is Heartily Indorsed.

The State, 24th.

The Lutherans had a very busy day of it yesterday in their 9th annual session of synod, now convening in the Church of the Ascension. The Rev. W. H. Greever, D. D., presides with ease, dignity and absolute fairness. The Rev. W. B. Aull of Dyson is secretary and handles the records with care and dispatch.

The special order for the opening session was the election of delegates to the United synod, which meets in this city in November, 1914. The result was as follows: Ministerial, the Revs. W. H. Greever, C. A. Freed, J. D. Kinnard, J. T. Hallman, M. G. G. Scherer, H. A. McCullough, P. E. Monroe, M. O. J. Kreps, E. Fulenwider, J. H. Harms, and J. J. Long, principals; the Rev. J. H. Wilson, C. L. Miller, S. C. Ballentine, H. J. Black, E. W. Leslie, J. W. Oxner, W. A. C. Mueller, J. A. Linn, J. G. Gongaware, L. P. Boland and J. B. Umberger, alternates. The lay delegates are: Geo. Y. Hunter, P. C. Price, S. J. Derrick, Kenneth Baker, W. K. Shealy, C. L. Kibler, W. P. Houseal, Geo. B. Cromer, E. S. Dreher, A. H. Kohn, Jno. F. Ficken, principals; J. L. Shuler, W. C. Rast, A. C. Yonce, Geo. W. Jatho, J. W. Jenney, J. D. Cappelmann, A. N. Boland, W. H. Welch, J. C. Swygert, O. B. Mayer and W. F. Steiglitz, alternates.

Treasurers Elected.

The following treasurers were elected: The Rev. C. P. Boozer, treasurer of the Bachman endowment fund; Geo. Y. Hunter, M. D., treasurer of the seminary fund; J. B. Hunter, treasurer of semi-centennial fund; H. C. Holloway, treasurer of general endowment fund; A. H. Kohn, treasurer of synodical fund.

A report of the State of religion of the various churches was made by the Rev. W. P. Cline, D. D. This was gathered from reports submitted to him by individual pastors. This report indicated that the spirituality, is on the whole encouraging.

The time and place of next meet-

ing was fixed: Place, Greenville. Time, Tuesday after the fourth Sunday in October, 1914.

Synod provided for holding a Sunday school normal, similar to the one held this year at Newberry. This will be under the same management as this year. Dr. J. H. Harms is chairman of the committee in charge.

Rev. Dr. E. C. Cronk presented the work of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, urging synod to do its part in the State-wide movement for missions, to be made next March. Synod passed resolutions indorsing the plan submitted by Dr. Cronk.

The Rev. E. J. Sox of Little Mountain, fraternal delegate from the Tennessee synod, presented the greetings of that body. The Rev. J. A. Cromer of the same synod was also present, and was made an advisory member of the body.

The committee on minutes of last session brought out the fact that the Lowman Home for the Infirm at White Rock will likely be supported and patronized by the whole United synod. This has only recently come into possession brought out the fact that the Newberry College.

Most of the afternoon was taken up in discussing the report of the board of trustees of Newberry college. This was made by Dr. Geo. B. Cromer, chairman of the board. This report was most encouraging, showing the most splendid work done by college, the institution of synod. The synod heartily indorsed the proposition made by President J. H. Harms to further increase the endowment of the college by \$150,000 in the next four years. This will celebrate the 400th anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther. By resolution synod will appoint one pastor to preach to the students of Newberry college, and the claims upon them to enter the gospel ministry.

Synod adjourned, pending the discussion of the report of the executive committee and advisory board of home missions. This is a very important report and caused much discussion.

Synod provided for several students in Newberry college and in the Theological seminary of Columbia.

A splendid spirit of harmony prevails in all the discussions. The work of the body will likely be completed this afternoon.

Trustees Appointed.

Many important committees and trustees were appointed who shall

have charge of various institutions of synod. The following are some of these:

On the Lowman Home for the Helpless—The Rev. E. Fulenwider and P. H. Haltiwanger, terms to expire 1914; the Rev. C. E. Weltner and P. C. Price, terms to expire 1915; the Rev. W. H. Greever and Hon. Kenneth Baker, terms to expire 1916; the Rev. V. L. Fulmer and J. W. Shealy, terms to expire 1917.

Board of directors of the Theological seminary—The Revs. W. H. Greever, M. O. J. Kreps, C. E. Weltner, S. C. Ballentine, C. A. Freed, Messrs. Jno. F. Ficken, J. A. Meez, J. A. C. Kibler, Dr. O. B. Mayer, and Prof. S. J. Derrick.

Board of trustees of Summerland college—Term expiring 1914, J. S. Wheeler, the Rev. W. P. Cline, the Rev. S. C. Ballentine, J. E. R. Kyzer, Andrew Yonce, and H. O. Long; term expiring 1915, the Rev. H. A. McCullough, W. P. Houseal, the Rev. H. J. Black, Heber Rast, S. W. Copeland and the Rev. J. J. Long; term expiring 1916, Arthur Kibler, H. S. Black, the Revs. L. P. Boland and P. D. Risinger, R. B. Elling and the Rev. J. B. Derrick.

The following were elected as executive committee and advisory board of missions; the Rev. E. Fulenwider, S. P. Koon, J. J. Long, H. A. McCullough and P. C. Price, Kenneth Baker and W. K. Shealy. This will have charge of the home missions of synod.

By motion, upon recommendation in the president's report, that officials will appoint a commissioner on each of the following subjects: cotton mills in South Carolina, rural districts in South Carolina, city population in South Carolina, negro population in South Carolina, education in South Carolina, religious conditions in South Carolina.

The following are the speakers on special subjects for the next meeting of synod: on education, the Rev. J. J. Long; on ordination, the Rev. S. C. Ballentine; on missions, the Rev. E. W. Leslie.

A resolution was unanimously adopted, urging the Rev. J. C. Segers, D. D., of the Ministerium of Pennsylvania to accept the call extended to him to become a professor in the theological seminary at Columbia. Dr. Segers is a native of Columbia and all are anxious to see him accept the position to which he has been elected and for which he is so well fitted.

The following was adopted:

Report of the board of trustees of Summerland college:

On June 3, 1913, the resignation of the Rev. S. P. Koon, president of Summerland college, was accepted by the board of trustees. On June 20, 1913, Prof. P. E. Monroe was elected president. He accepted the call June 27, to take effect August 1, 1913. The following teachers were selected: Rev. P. E. Monroe, history.

Mrs. Mattie C. Kneese, mathematics.

Miss Ida Ruth Marroette, science and German.

Mrs. P. E. Monroe, Latin.

Miss Mabel Derrick, English and French.

Miss Elizabeth Waldron, music.

Miss Berley Shealy, violin.

The teachers are all doing their best to give efficient service in their respective departments.

The college opened for the second year September 16, 1913, and now has enrolled 62 students, 50 of whom are boarding students. The management is highly pleased with the character of the student body.

The board of trustees respectfully ask the South Carolina synod:

First. To insure the property for not less than \$16,000, \$9,000 of which is to date from February 1, 1913. The special committee, who held the property at that time, insured the property for \$9,000, and we now ask that this premium be refunded.

Second. That the board of trustees be made to consist of 18 members, to be elected at this meeting of synod; the term of six to expire November, 1914, the term of six to expire November, 1915, the term of six to expire November, 1916.

Third. That a special offering for the current expenses of Summerland college be taken in all our churches the first Sunday of February.

Fourth. That Summerland college be commended to the Lutherans of South Carolina synod.

Respectfully submitted,

C. P. Boozer,

Chairman Board of Trustees.

The apportionments and appropriations for next year will be larger than usual on account of the enlarging activity of synod. Synod enjoyed very much the devotional services held on nights during its sessions. The singing led by the students of the seminary nearly added no little to this. All were very proud to have one of the missionaries to Japan present, the

Rev. L. G. S. Miller, and much enjoyed this lecture Thursday night on, "What We Are Doing in Japan."

After heartily singing "Now Thank We All Our God," synod was closed in liturgical form, and all the delegates went home, inspired with a desire to do more than ever for the cause they love so well.

Opposite Opinions.

The Herald and News reporter was sitting in his sanctum sanctorum (nothing sanctimonious) Wednesday afternoon thinking, thinking, thinking. News was scarce, hence had he to think. He was thinking of reporters, from "Scoop the cub reporter," up to any editor-in-chief. Thinking how hard it was to conform to any set rules or regulations, and how easy it was to comment and criticize and find fault. One man writes in a certain way and another man doesn't like it and has to give his opinion. Another man sees the same thing in a different light and expresses his opinion. Neither opinion makes the thing wrong or right, neither one makes wrong right or right wrong.

While "we," that is he, the reporter, thought and read the exchanges with the above as the predominant thought, he came across two opinions on one subject, which will illustrate his point. Journal, as follows:

"George Ade, in an effort to be funny, and many of his efforts are weak. The first was from the Spartanburg was asked who was the author of the phrase "single blessedness" and replied "some anonymous coward of a married man."

After mentally digesting the above and thinking that George Ade does get off some funny things and that it was no sign he was not a funny man in that sense just because one thing struck a man at the wrong time as not being funny, the following from the Wilmington Star brightened up before the vision:

"George Ade is about right. The originator of "single blessedness" must have been a married man who found out that he couldn't do as he pleased after he got married."

So there you are. It is all owing to how you look at it or how you are feeling.

"That Man, Roland G. Spearman,"

The following from a Talladega paper will be read with interest by the numerous Newberry friends of Mr.

Spearman:

"This man, Roland G. Spearman, has done more for the city of Talladega than any other human being that ever lived within its gates. He moved here from Newberry, S. C., in January, 1907, since which time he has devoted his best energy and thoughts to the public welfare, was elected alderman from his ward, fought for and won a commission form of government, served as secretary of the chamber of commerce, worked out a business basis for the correction of the then serious water question without even claiming credit for it. In fact, he named his deep wells "Ward." Everybody knows whose dream came true when he drilled the deep wells and obtained the greatest blessing that was ever bestowed upon a people. He is now serving as a member of the board of education, holding what he believes the most important yet, the destinies of the future generation. He is a knight Templar Mason and noble of the Mystic Shrine, and an active member of the First Baptist church. He will be found at all times advocating the right and condemning with all his force that which he knows to be wrong. In all his undertakings he has been a business success, and commands the respect and confidence of everybody in Talladega."

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